

Jodi Jones

Jodi (JoVenia) Jones was born in Hugo, Oklahoma, and moved to New Mexico at a young age. After graduating from Sandia High School in Albuquerque, she attended the University of New Mexico where she met and married Hank (L. Henry) Jones in 1965. She has three children, Jennifer, J.B. and Shelby.

Although her husband has been a professional artist for the past 20 years, it wasn't until 1987 that Jodi started to explore the field of sculpture.

After only two years of working with different sculpting materials, she has found her niche. She specializes in nativity sets with a Southwestern flavor, unusual storytellers and singing monks, each piece a reflection of her clever wit and unique sense of humor.

She has been in several juried shows, including the New Mexico Arts and Crafts Fair and Weems Artfest, winning booth awards in both shows. To date, she is represented by galleries in Arizona, Colorado, California, Texas, Oklahoma, Iowa and New Mexico. Her work is distributed nationally through the New Mexico Catalog and she is represented locally by Weems.

